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Announcement of marriages and deaths
two-thirds of regular and obituary rates.

Louisville & Nashville Railroad
Trains leave Clarksville as follows:

SOUTH.		NORTH.	
No. 1, Fast Mail.	8:30 P. M.	No. 2, Fast Mail.	7:30 A. M.
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No. 5, Freight.	11:00 A. M.	No. 6, Freight.	11:00 P. M.
No. 7, Freight.	11:00 P. M.	No. 8, Freight.	11:00 A. M.

To Candidates.

From and after this date we will not
advance candidates for office unless, or
for them without payment in full. It is
much easier to pay these bills before than
after an election, especially if those for
whom work is done should be defeated.
Correspondents will not be allowed to give
candidates favorable mention in their let-
ters without paying the regular price, ten
cents a line, for insertion, regular matter
contained in their letters.

These rules will be strictly adhered to.

There are now on our books considerable
sums contracted by candidates, that are un-
collectable, a consequence we desire to
avoid in future.

BRANDON & BARKER, DALLAS,
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COUNTY ELECTION

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FOR SHERIFF.

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iff of Montgomery county at the ensuing
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JAMES M. COLLIER. We are authorized
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FOR TRUSTEE.

JOHN S. NEBLETT. We are authorized
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E. WILSON. We are authorized
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FOR REGISTER.

J. M. ROGERS. We are authorized
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CONSTABLE.

CHAS. D. HARTLEY. We are authorized
to announce CHAS. D. HARTLEY as a candi-
date for election to the office of Constable
of the 2nd District at the ensuing August
election.

Pianos and Organs in stock,
for rent or sale at Owen & Moore's.

A good piano for sale cheap. Ap-
ply to T. H. Hyman.

QUERIES.—Which is the greatest
nuisance, the one who stole politician
or the blood-thirsty mosquito?

Go to the polls next Thursday
and cast your vote for the best man
for the position.

ELDER W. R. MOSELEY will
preach to-morrow at Hazelwood
church.

READ the call of the Chairman
of the Executive Committee for
a county convention.

MR. A. R. BROWN has qualified as
administrator of Joshua Brown, de-
ceased.

REV. SERGEANT DAVIS will fill
his pulpit at the College street Meth-
odist Church, Sunday night. Public
respectfully invited.

THE case of the defeated candi-
date will soon be heard in the court.
Until next Thursday he will be all
smiles and sunny.

THE times must be out of joint.
Just to think of it, no circus, no
water-melons so far—what are we
coming to?

DON'T forget the grand State
Credit Democratic Mass Meeting to
be held in this city on next Sat-
urday, August 5th.

GEORGE P. MARSH, the Ameri-
can minister to Italy, died suddenly
of heart disease, at Rome, on Mon-
day.

THE county election next Thurs-
day bids fair to be a very quiet and
orderly affair. May the best man
win.

THIS County Democratic Conven-
tion to nominate candidates for the
Legislature will meet here on Aug-
ust 12th. Remember the date.

"ARE you insured in the mar-
riage guild?" Is what every fair
delinea now asks her dear dul-
ceto.

THE local candidates seem to be
getting along quite smoothly and,
of course, every one thinks he will
draw a prize in the lottery of offi-
cial holding.

THE platform of the State Credit
Democratic is again being held in
Constitutional Convention at this
time. See that "No Convention"
is on your ticket next Thursday.

A FAILURE to vote "No Conven-
tion" is equivalent to a vote, "For
Convention" as the act requires only
a majority of the vote cast to call
a convention.

The Fire and the Work.

There was a bold, dastardly at-
tempt made last Sunday night to
fire the three-story brick buildings
on the South side of the Public
Square, and probably a large por-
tion of the business part of the city.
About 2 a. m., Chief of police Matt
Carfuff, who was on his beat near
the market house, discovered
flames and large volumes of smoke
issuing from the windows and roof
of the three-story building at the
head of the square, known as the
Barker building and now occupied
on the first floor by the Southern
Express Company and on the third
floor by the colored Masonic lodge.
The fire alarm was immediately
sounded by Captain Carfuff and the
engine and hose carriages re-
sponded with remarkable prompt-
ness considering the hour of the night.

The alarm was struck for the sec-
ond ward and hither everybody,
who had been so suddenly called
from their midnight slumbers,
rushed. Once out in the streets the
location of the fire could be easily
decided upon by the dark column
of smoke and the lurid flames that
lit up the sky and the surrounding
streets.

A first glance at its location, be-
ing as it was in the very midst of
a block of buildings which ever since
the fire of 1878 have been regar-
ded as particularly liable and
inviting to the fiery elements, chief-
ly on account of the large quantity
of wood-work about the building,
and the general character of their
construction was enough to cause
terror to fill the hearts of all.

Everybody expected a big fire
and we were only too happily
disappointed by the quick and
splendid work of our fire company
to whom too much praise cannot be
given.

"The fire was discovered" to have
lighted at the fire-escape, on the
roof of the colored Masonic Lodge,
on the third floor of the Barker
building and must have undoubtedly
been the work of an incendiary
as no fire or gas light of any kind
had been in the building since Fri-
day night before. Indeed it is the
theory of some, and the facts would
seem to bear them out in it, that
the buildings were set fire in sev-
eral places. Certain it is that while
the flames were burning, the fire-
men engaged in battling the flames in
the upper stories and roof of the
Barker and Current buildings, they
were called to aid in extinguishing
the flames that had been discovered
bursting out of a rear room on the
second story of the building occu-
pied by Ed. Boyce, colored, as dwell-
ing apartments. The door to this
room, which was very little used,
opened out into the hall at the foot
of the stairway leading to the lodge
room, the trams were found open
and near the door lay a pile of old
straw matting and a few old clothes.
A plank, partly burned and satu-
rated with oil, was also found in
this room by Chief Hyman. It is
believed that as the incendiary de-
cended the stairway, after firing the
ante-room of the Lodge, he made
hasty work by throwing his flaming
plank over into this lower room on
the pile of old matting and clothing
beneath.

These are theories advanced. The
truth of which, in all probability
never be known, but certainly
the circumstances point to it as the
heinous deed of a midnight incendi-
ary.

We have said that by the time
the firemen arrived on the ground,
a few minutes after the alarm, the
whole of the upper story of the Bar-
ker building was in flames. Hose
no. 2 was the first to reach the
fire and attaching the hose to the
fire plug in front of the entrance
office, the gallant fireman mounted
the stairway and drawing the hose
with them forced a solid stream of
water into the burning upper stories.
A few seconds later hose car-
riages Nos. 3 and 4 came into play
and bravely battled the fiery ele-
ments. By this time the fire had
spread to the roof of the adjoining
building known as the Current
store, and owing to the difficulty of
reaching it, it seemed as if the
block would burn in spite of the
heroic efforts of the firemen. It was
at this point that the fire in the
Turnley building was discovered
and a part of the force was put
to work on it. The fire engine had
quickly arrived but owing to the
pressure of air in the section pipe
or some unknown cause, failed to
throw water. The whole work of
fighting the flames devolved on the
hose departments attached to the
fire-plugs, and the very effective
aid rendered by the Hook and Lad-
der Company.

In short, the entire force, under
the command of Chief Hyman and
Captain Young of the fire depart-
ment, and Chief of Police Matt Car-
fuff, obeyed orders promptly and worked
like Trojans. After a stubborn
fight of an hour and a half the fire
was confined to the roofs of the
Barker and Current houses and
finally extinguished. Both those
buildings were considerably dam-
aged by fire in the roof and upper
stories, while the contents of the
lower floors were much injured by
water and removal.

The damage was entirely confined
to the Barker and Current buildings
and their occupants. These are the
Southern Express Company, dam-
aged by water; Wm. Webster, sam-
ple, slightly; the colored Masonic
Lodge, by fire and water; Mrs. T. M.
Hughes, dwelling apartments, dam-
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sand dollars, partly covered by in-
surance.

"Our Little Ones and the Nur-
sery" is the name of a neatly print-
ed and handsomely illustrated
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Russell Publishing Company, of
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We call especial attention to our
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Spring, by one of our most intelli-
gent and observant fellow-county-
men, Esquire G. H. Slaughter, of
St. Bethlehem. As a short review
of Texas and its great resources, it
cannot be surpassed, and those who
wish to know anything of the
"Lone Star State" will do well to
read it.

The faculty of the Clarksville
Female Academy for the next
school year will be as follows:
Collegiate and Grammar Grades—
Prof. Jno. S. Collins, Miss M. E.
Ford, Miss Henrietta Adams.
Primary Grade—Mrs. H. W.
Leahman.
Art Department—Mrs. Wm. Emory.

Music Department—Prof. Wm.
Emory.
Under the present arrangement
the charge for instruction in music
will be thirty dollars per session.

We acknowledge the receipt of a
complimentary ticket to the First
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PERSONAL.

Mr. Geo. D. Martin, of Memphis, is
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Mr. B. W. Macrae and son are at
Hurricane Springs.

Misses Maggie and Frank Williams
are visiting friends in Todd county,
Ky.

Mr. G. M. Whitsoide and family have
removed to Chattanooga, where they
will reside permanently.

Mrs. W. W. Bourne and children, of
Louisville, have taken rooms at Idaho
Springs.

Mr. Winfield Roach and family, of
Louisville, have been visiting relatives
in the city this week.

Mrs. M. C. Hunt, of Selma, Ala., is
visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Mc-
Cauley, on Franklin street.

Miss Florence Cloud, of Paducah,
is visiting relatives and friends in New
Providence.

Mr. Tom McCabe, Jr., has returned
to the city and is again in his old fa-
miliar place on the Red Line Bus.

Mrs. Cary Weisiger, of Memphis,
is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. W.
Humphreys.

Mr. Hunter Wood, a prominent at-
torney, of Hopkinsville, was in the
city during the week.

Master Robert Lee Cook, of the ru-
ral village of Hopkinsville, is in the
metropolis visiting relatives.

Mr. Geo. N. Campbell, a rising young
physician, of Hopkinsville, was in the
city Tuesday.

Mrs. Jas. R. King left Thursday
morning for a visit to relatives at
Springfield, Ill.

Mrs. A. F. Smith and family, of
Brooklyn, N. Y., are here on a visit to
the family of Mr. John W. Faxon, on
Franklin street.

Misses Jennie Carney, of Murfrees-
boro, and Nellie Fisher, of Nashville,
are the pleasant guests of Mrs. W. S.
Poindeexter.

Mr. John R. Martin is now supply-
ing the market with some very fine
peaches. This article knows whereof
he speaks for he has lately taken his
tooth into his own of the same.

Mr. Charles Marshall, of New Ore-
leans, has been shaking hands with his
many friends around town this week.
He has a broad and "dead-give-away"
smile on his genial countenance. It's
a bounding baby boy.

Mr. E. G. Cooke has returned from
West Virginia, where he has been en-
gaged in the erection of a saw mill.
He says the mill will soon be in op-
eration cutting the finest cherry timber
in the world.

Lieut. E. S. Munford made a flying
trip to Bowling Green Wednesday
evening to look after securing tents for
the coming campaign of the C. C.
Some of the boys seemed to
think he went to secure a Butler.

Master Robert Williams, Jr., a son
of Mr. J. H. Williams, of this city, after
a residence of several years with his
father in Jersey City, N. J., is here
on a visit to his father, Mr. Williams.
Robert's last residence in the North has
made him quite a "Yankee boy," char-
acterized by that chic and vim and
sprightliness rarely shown by his less
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An enterprising firm.
A reporter of the CHRONICLE,
walking along Thint Cross street a
few days ago, on the lookout for a
stray item, had his attention called
to a beautiful new buggy standing
in front of the carriage repository
of the old reliable and well-known
firm of B. F. Hardin & Co., the en-
terprising carriage manufacturers.
It was a regular daisy, a perfect
thing of beauty, and as the reporter,
like all wealthy young newspaper
men, is a lover of horse flesh and
accustomed to pull the ribbons be-
hind a "two-forty," attached to an
airy Brewster, he became interested
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"It's a 'Dexter Queen,' the latest
thing out, and our own make," re-
plied Mr. John LeMaster, the affable
salesman of the wide-awake
firm. "We make them right here,
and are turning them out every
day, as well as other buggies and
barouches of all kinds; but come in
and let me show you around."